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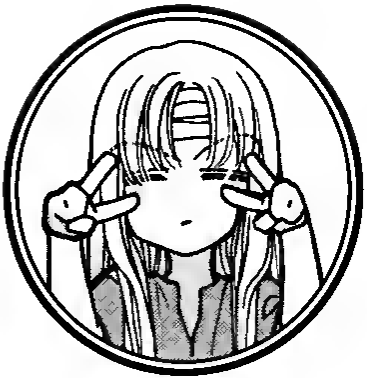
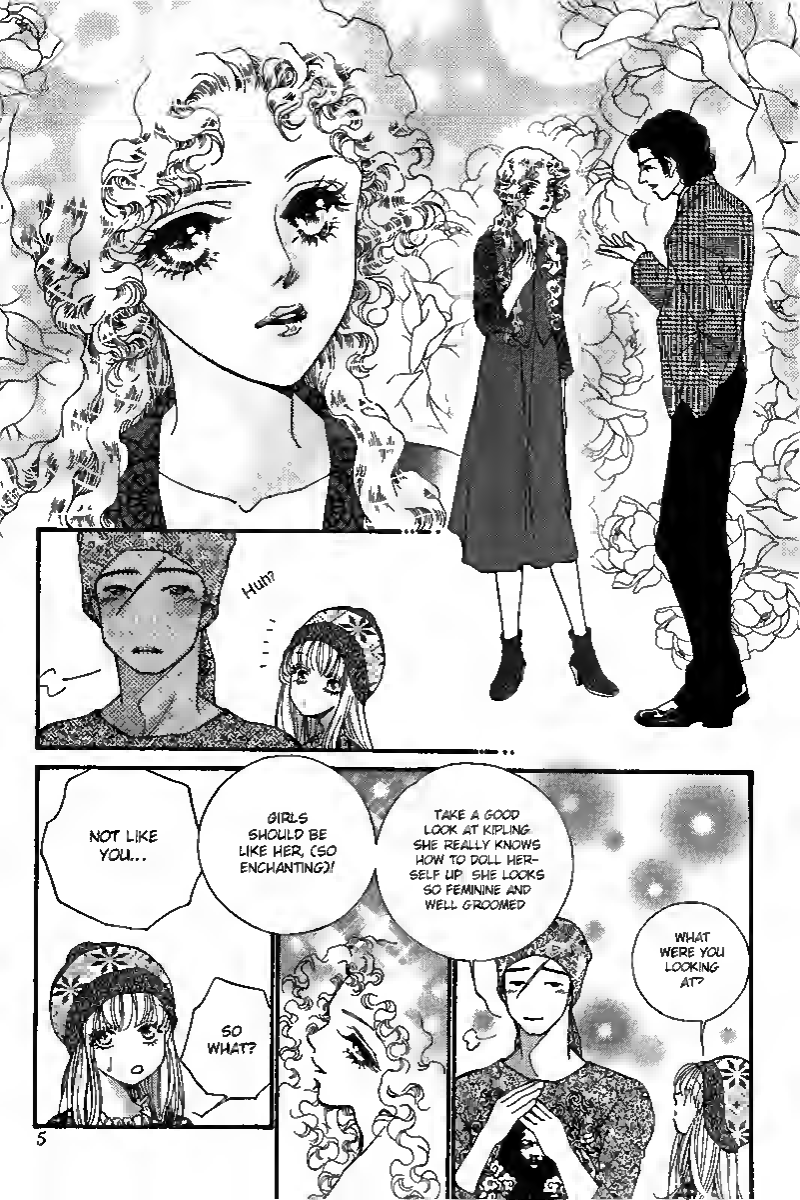
Volume 11 Reunion after a Long Separation

Ryan



As the saying goes, if we are fated to, we shall meet even if we are a thousand miles apart. We were worlds apart and yet we got to befriend each other in Rome.
And, to think that we even stay in the v...y same city on earth, New-York...
Wah! Our meeting is really fated!

Jo...
When I'm back in New York, I will certainly send this photo to you.
We have not been in contact for quite some time.
I wonder how you've been lately?
Where are you vacationing at at the moment?
Maybe...
You are also in Rome.


Huh?
WHAT WERE YOU LOOKING AT?
TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT KIPLING SHE REALLY KNOWS HOW TO DOLL HERSELF UP SHE LOOKS SO FEMININE AND WELL GROOMED
GIRLS SHOULD BE LIKE HER, (SO ENCHANTING)!
NOT LIKE YOU...
SO WHAT?

IT'S MORE COMFORTABLE TO BE DRESSED THIS WAY!
YOU... IT'S FINE IF YOU'RE DOWDY AT HOME BUT YOU'RE JUST AS DOWDY WHEN YOU GO OUT!
(Dad) KIPLING HAS BEEN APPROACHED NON-STOP BY COUNTLESS GUYS TRYING TO CHAT HER UP BUT, YOU?
YOU PUT ON ANYTHING YOU WANT, NOT THE LEAST BIT "STYLO"!
WELL, I'VE BEEN HIT ON OCCASIONALLY, TOO!
YOU ARE ONLY ABLE TO ATTRACT THOSE KINDS OF LOUSY CHARACTERS!
YOU MEAN THOSE TWO GOONS?
THAT (ONESHOT) COUNTS FOR NOTHING!
WHAT LOW LIVES HOW SHAMEFUL!
Looking down on me! OK!
Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

check it out
yeah
yeah
yeah
YO!
Little ugly duckling!
Pretty woman!
Follow me, my lovely...
To the club for some
ice cream, OK?
She's like me, the
latest attraction
the wishing well
I... I would like to join them too!
Ding-Pa! Please stop here!
Check it out!
Check it out!
Huh! Hanna! Yuh!
Shake and Shake! Shake and Shake! Shake to your grandma's bridge. Grandma says I want to play some tricks! YO!
HA HA HA
Good! YO! Baby loves to be tricked!
HA! YA! HA!
YO!
JIAYU, YOU ARE REALLY A TALENTED PERFORMER.
Wh...t are you gawking at?!
I'll get someone to beat you up!

COME ON!
Lambada Idiot! Go!
keep rolling
rolling rolling...
keep rolling
rolling rolling...
Wah!
David's great!
I've never seen Kipling laugh this way before...
As a younger brother, I... I'm such a failure...
OK!
Let him join in.
"Lambada Idiot"? OK, I'll learn it, too!
LOOKS REALLY DUMB...
Can't take it...
If that guy was around, he would certainly yell at her...
And beat her up!
AH! CHOO!

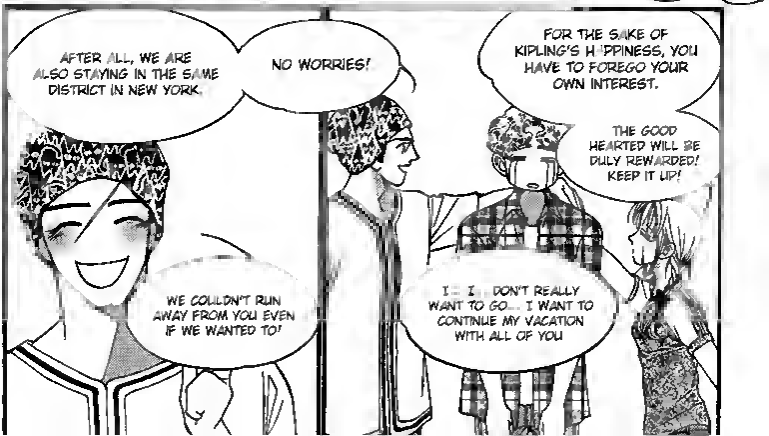
What a familiar feeling...
Suddenly, I feel like scolding someone...
Why, then, is there this certain feeling of great satisfaction and fulfillment..?
I must not be feeling quite right, so early in the morning...
I haven't felt this way in a long time...
MAY I COME IN?
KNOCK KNOCK KNOCK!

THIS IS YOUR HOME, WHY BOTHER TO KNOCK?
WELL... YOU HAVE NEVER ALLOWED OTHERS TO ENTER YOUR ROOM
WHEN YOU WERE YOUNG YOU OFTEN LOST YOUR TEMPER OVER THIS MATTER
SO... IT'S BETTER THAT I KNOCK FIRST
AH... ALL OF YOU HAVE HAD TO PUT UP WITH THIS IDIOSYNCRASY OF MINE FOR SO MANY YEARS.
WOULD IT BE SUFFICIENT TO PACK ONLY THESE?
THAT WON'T BE NECESSARY. I'VE AN APARTMENT IN NEW YORK.
IT'S ENOUGH THAT I BRING JUST A FEW NECESSITIES.
MOM WILL HELP YOU GET SOME MORE DAILY NECESSITIES

I WON'T BE STAYING VERY LONG IN NEW YORK, THIS TIME ROUND
OTHER THAN DISCUSSING SOME BUSINESS, I WILL BE MEETING SOMEONE.
THEN...
HMM?
THEN WHAT?
NOTHING.. WE'LL TALK ABOUT IT WHEN I COME HOME!

This time...
I'll never let her go again.
It doesn't matter if she already has another man by her side.
That won't stop me!
Even if I have to resort to extreme measures
I'm determined to snatch her back,
In order for her to love me, once more!
WHAT? YOU'RE GOING BACK TO NEW YORK TOMORROW?
(Vatican City)

SHE'S BENT ON CHASING HER PRINCE CHARMING BACK TO NEW YORK
I'M TOO CONCERNED FOR HER TO LEAVE HER ALONE SO, I'VE NO CHOICE BUT TO ENDURE THE PAIN OF HAVING TO BID YOU FAREWELL...
OH... I GUESS YOU HAVE NO CHOICE THEN...
OH, THAT'S VERY SUDDEN!
IT'S NOT MY IDEA! IT'S ALL KIPLING'S FAULT!


AFTER ALL, WE ARE ALSO STAYING IN THE SAME DISTRICT IN NEW YORK.
NO WORRIES!
WE COULDN'T RUN AWAY FROM YOU EVEN IF WE WANTED TO!
FOR THE SAKE OF KIPLING'S HAPPINESS, YOU HAVE TO FOREGO YOUR OWN INTEREST.
THE GOOD HEARTED WILL BE DULY REWARDED! KEEP IT UP!
I... I... DON'T REALLY WANT TO GO... I WANT TO CONTINUE MY VACATION WITH ALL OF YOU

DON'T FORGET! WE MADE A WISH AT THE WISHING WELL THAT WE WILL ALL RETURN TO ITALY ONE DAY!
THE NEXT TIME YOU WANT TO HOLIDAY IN ITALY, JUST LET ME KNOW.
I CAN BE YOUR TOUR GUIDE.
YEAH!
IT'S A DEAL!

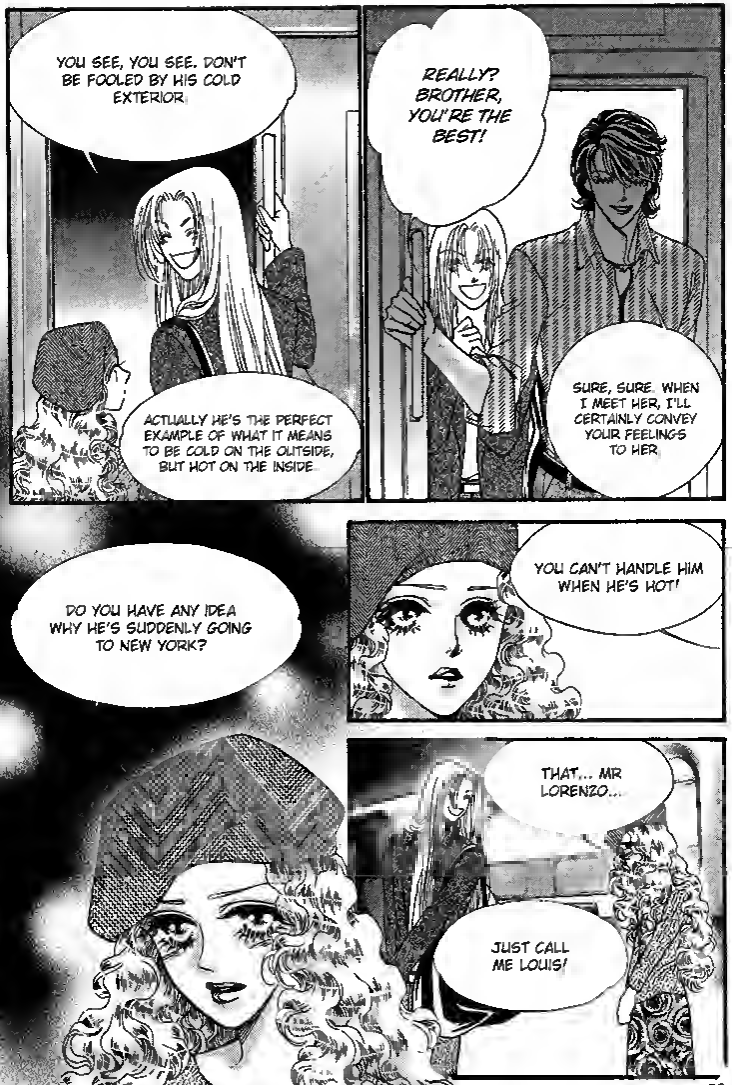
Bye!
Please don't be too sad...
PLEASE LOOK ME UP WHEN YOU ARE BACK IN NEW YORK!
We'll meet again soon
Bye!
Very soon...

I COULD HAVE DRIVEN ALL OF YOU DIRECTLY TO THE AIRPORT. IT'S SO TROUBLESOME. TAKING THE EXPRESS TRAIN.
INDEED IT'S TROUBLESOME. I TOLD YOU TO FETCH BOTH OF THEM OVER, BUT YOU ONLY MANAGED TO FETCH ONE OF THEM.
INCONVENIENCING ME IN HAVING TO MEET THE OTHER AT THE TRAIN STATION. IT'S REALLY TROUBLESOME!
BLAMING ME! THERE'S JUST NO REWARD FOR THE GOOD HEARTED!
HEAVY, ISN'T IT? JUST PASS IT TO ME!
AH... OH, THANK YOU...

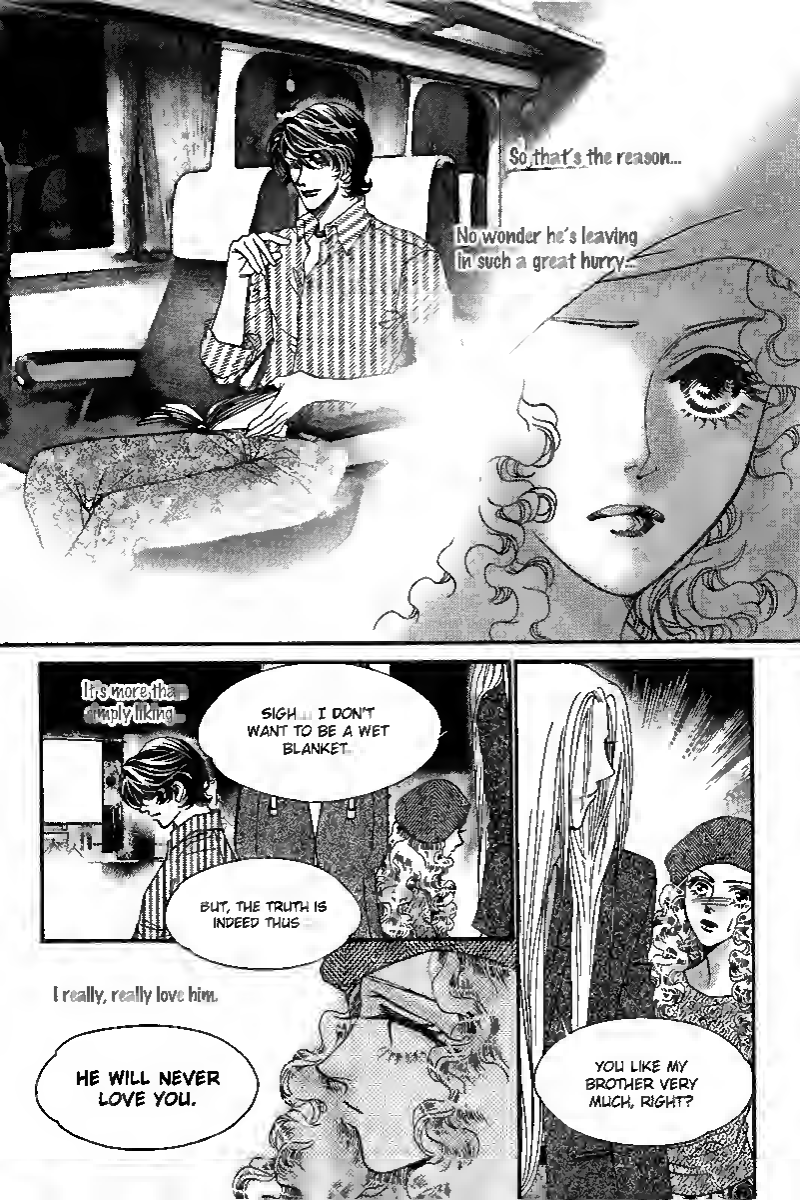
IT'S MY PLEASURE.
I REALLY CAN'T BEAR TO SEE A LOVELY LADY LIKE YOU SUFFERING.
both are brothers but their attitudes are completely different by 10,800 miles
Even the most basic courtesy...
WHERE DO YOU THINK DAVID HAS GONE?
He has never even extended it to me...

WHY ARE YOU STILL HANGING AROUND?
HE HAS GONE TO THE VATICAN CITY TO SAY GOODBYE TO HIS FRIENDS, BUT
ARE YOU BLIND?
CAN'T YOU SEE I'M AT THE SERVICE OF A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN?
HE'S TAKING A LONG TIME... AND STILL ISN'T HERE YET... I'M WORRIED THAT SOMETHING MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED TO HIM...
DOESN'T MATTER WHETHER YOU LIKE SOMEONE OR NOT, YOU SHOULD STILL EXTEND TO THEM SOME BASIC COURTESY.
YOU ARE REALLY CRUEL. WHAT HAS THIS LITTLE BEAUTY DONE TO OFFEND YOU?

The reason why I've been holding back for so long and have not started to pursue her yet is because...
I want to cultivate myself to be the most perfect man worthy of her love, so as to give her a whole lifetime of happiness and bliss...
MY HEART BELONGS TO LE TING COMPLETELY... HOW COULD YOU...?
WHAT?! HOW DARE YOU SAY SUCH THINGS!
Can't understand
HOW COULD YOU INSULT ME LIKE THAT?!
IF YOU WISH TO HIT ON HER, PLEASE CARRY ON WHOLEHEARTEDLY. DON'T STAND ON CEREMONY


YOU SEE, YOU SEE. DON'T BE FOOLED BY HIS COLD EXTERIOR.
ACTUALLY HE'S THE PERFECT EXAMPLE OF WHAT IT MEANS TO BE COLD ON THE OUTSIDE, BUT HOT ON THE INSIDE.
REALLY? BROTHER, YOU'RE THE BEST!
SURE, SURE. WHEN I MEET HER, I'LL CERTAINLY CONVEY YOUR FEELINGS TO HER.
YOU CAN'T HANDLE HIM WHEN HE'S HOT!
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHY HE'S SUDDENLY GOING TO NEW YORK?
THAT... MR LORENZO...
JUST CALL ME LOUIS!

WELL, ISN'T IT BECAUSE YOUR DADDY IS SO WORRIED ABOUT THE BOTH OF YOU?
WE ARE NOT THREE YEAR OLD KIDS
CALLING MY BROTHER UP EVERY OTHER DAY TO BEG HIM TO BRING BOTH OF YOU HOME SAFELY, THAT'S ALL.
IF WE WANT TO WE KNOW HOW TO GO HOME ON OUR OWN.
BY THE LOOKS OF IT... HE DIDN'T MENTION ANYTHING TO YOU
I THOUGHT THAT YOU WERE VERY CLOSE.
ACTUALLY...
HIS GIRLFRIEND...
HAS BEEN WAITING FOR HIM IN NEW YORK... FOR A VERY LONG TIME
HE'S GOING TO NEW YORK TO REUNITE WITH HER.

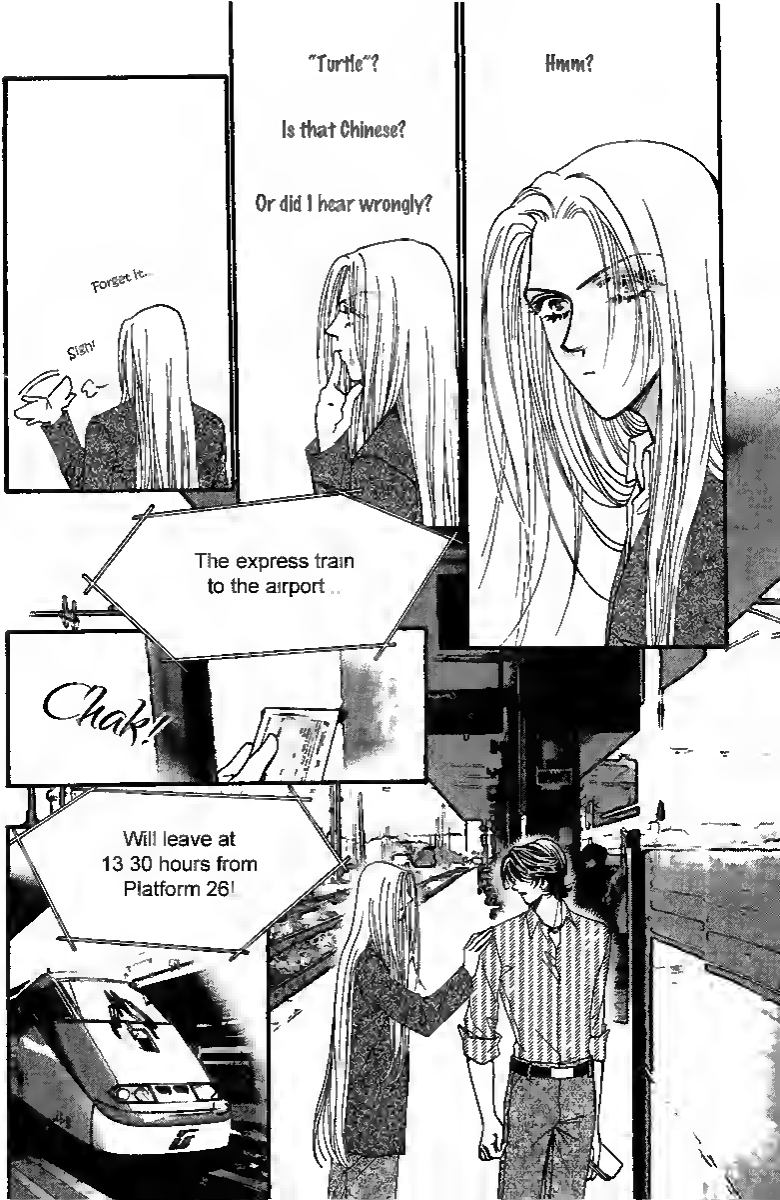

So, that's the reason...
No wonder he's leaving in such a great hurry...
It's more than simply liking...
SIGH... I DON'T WANT TO BE A WET BLANKET.
BUT, THE TRUTH IS INDEED THUS
I really, really love him.
HE WILL NEVER LOVE YOU.
YOU LIKE MY BROTHER VERY MUCH, RIGHT?

Once you get to know her
you will understand why...
Just thinking of her makes him laugh!
That's her charm!
BUT, EVERYONE IS FREE TO LOVE. NO ONE CAN STOP YOU FROM LOVING HIM, INCLUDING HE HIMSELF.
NOW, IT'S ENTIRELY UP TO YOU.
HE WILL NEVER LOVE ME? WHY NOT?
IT'S DIFFICULT FOR ME TO EXPLAIN CLEARLY...
THE ONLY GIRL WHO CAN TOUCH MY BROTHER'S HEART AND MAKE HIM TRULY HAPPY...
IS SHE ALONE...
WHAT COLDNESS... WHAT HEARTLESSNESS ONCE HE SEES HER, IT ALL MELTS AWAY.

THANK GOD!
I FINALLY CAUGHT UP!
Simply thinking of her makes him laugh?
Wouldn't that be Jiayu?
If I were a guy, wouldn't I also like such a girl?
We would be so happy, together every day.
No worries
No burden
Only wholehearted happiness
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
THE TRAIN'S ABOUT TO LEAVE!
DID YOU MEET THEM?
OF COURSE PANT WE'VE AGREED THAT WE WILL PAY THEM A VISIT BACK IN NEW YORK
REALLY? THAT'S GREAT!

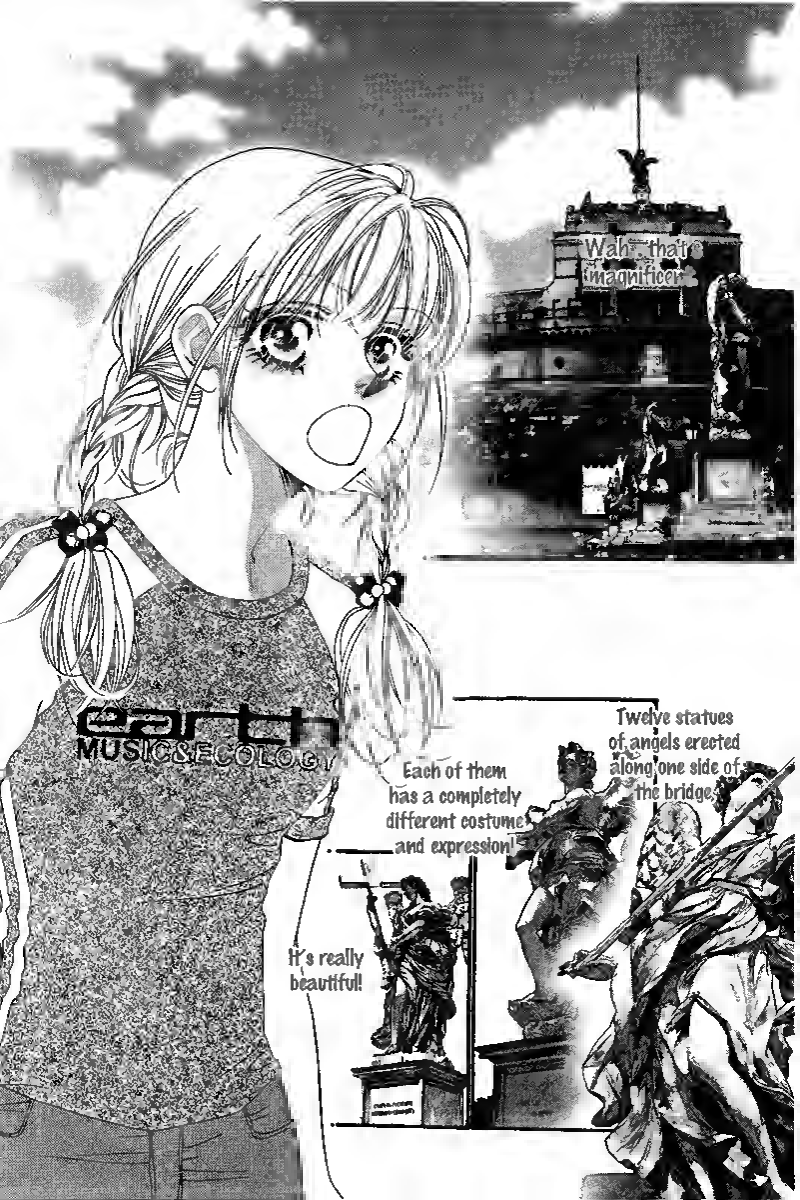
I'M GOING TO THE PLATFORM TO GET THE TICKETS PUNCHED
I FORGOT ALL ABOUT IT.
SHE WILL SHOW ME HER AWARD WINNING "MEMORIES OF GREECE"
AND OTHER PHOTOS SHE TOOK IN GREECE
REALLY?
WHEN EXACTLY IS FL...TTENED FISH (JIAYU) GOING BACK TO NEW YORK?
I'M STARTING TO MISS HER.
I SHOULD BE GOING. Arrivederci!
Arrivederci!
WAIT FOR ME!
KIPLING, LET ME TELL YOU...
TURTLE (JIAYU) EVEN INVITED ME TO VISIT HER WORK PLACE.

Translator's notes: "Jiayu", being a Chinese name, if pronounced with the wrong intonation, gives a completely different meaning. In this case it becomes "Turtle" and "Flattened Fish" respectively. It's noted that non-Chinese seem to have much difficulty pronouncing Chinese words with the correct intonation


"Turtle"?
Is that Chinese?
Or did I hear wrongly?
Hmm?
Forget it..
Sigh~
The express train to the airport ..
Chak!
Will leave at 13 30 hours from Platform 26!

Passengers to the airport please board the express train at Platform 26
The time now is 13 30 hours, the express train will leave punctually from Platform 26
BROTHER!

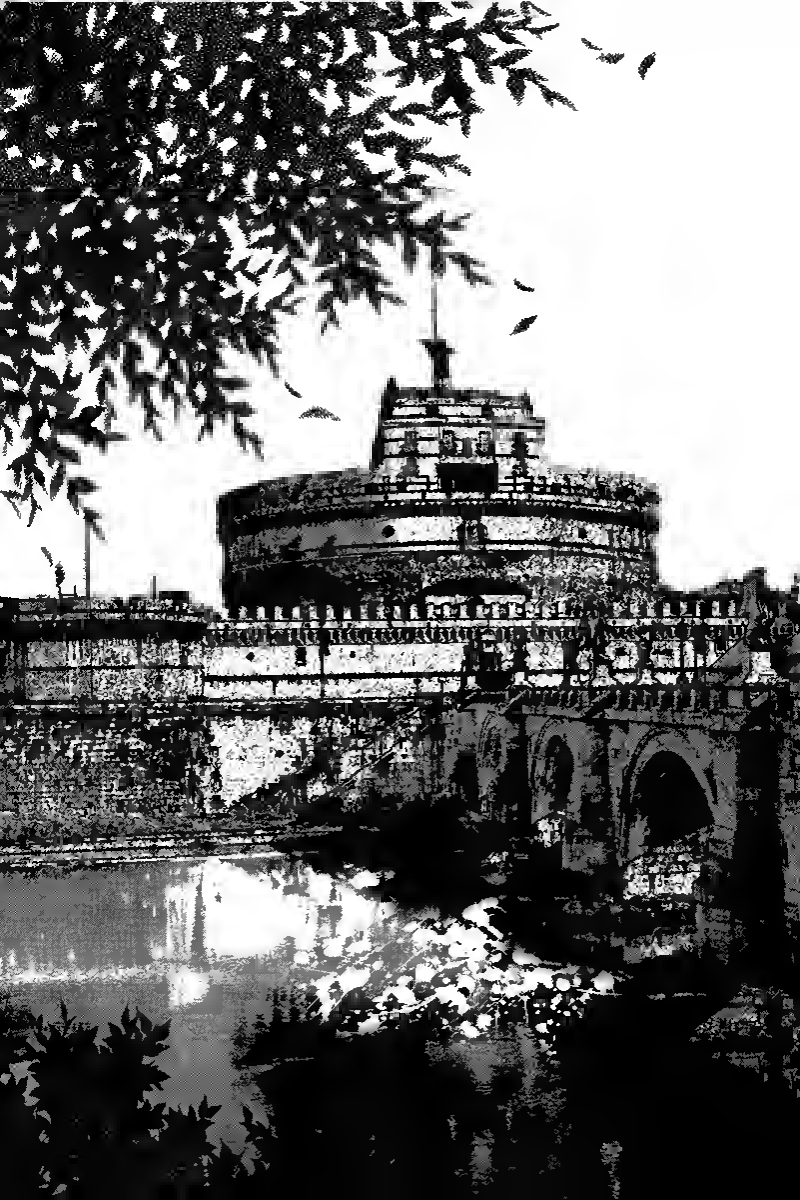
YOU CAN'T GO TO NEW YORK!
Oh my God!
JIAYU IS IN ROME!
The express train to the airport is standing by for departure
Please don't play this kind of joke!

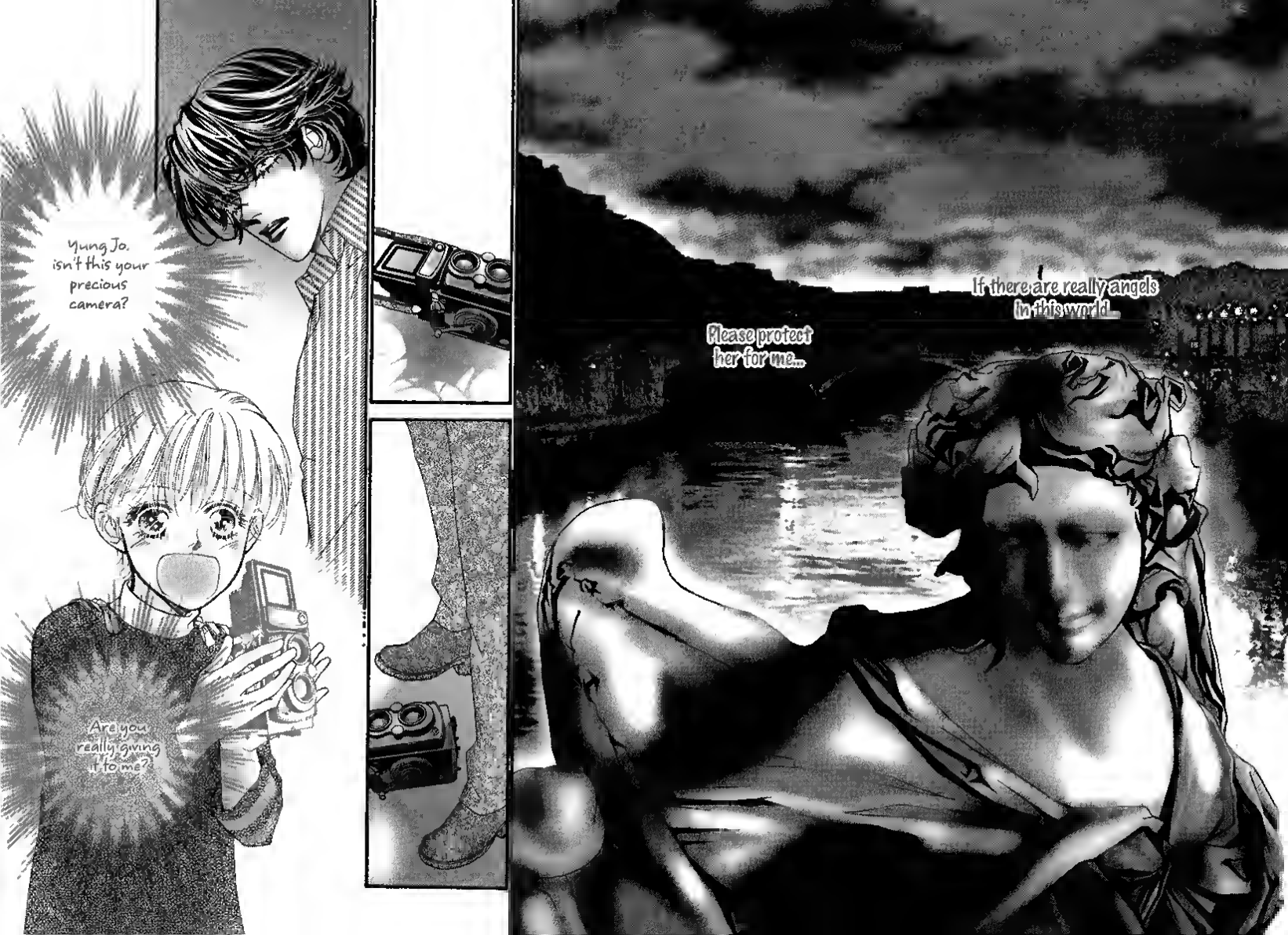

Wah... that's magnificent!
earth
MUSIC&ECOLOGY
Twelve statues of angels erected along one side of the bridge.
Each of them has a completely different costume and expression!
It's really beautiful!

Looking left...
Looking right...
Alas... I can only shoot from so few angles...
I would really like to shoot from some other angles...
I might as well go stand on the bridge...
It should be all right...
Excellent, this is a great angle!

Now I can shoot to my heart's content!
HEY!
YOU CAN'T STAND ON THE BRIDGE!

JIAYU!
NIKE




Yung Jo, isn't this your precious camera?
Are you really giving it to me?
If there are really angels in this world...
Please protect her for me...

I will certainly take good care of it
I really will!
Jiayu...
...

YUNG JO?
It can't be...
No, it's not possible...
Jiayu...
Jiayu...

REALLY... IT'S REALLY YOU... YUNG JO.
WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN? YOU DIDN'T EVEN COME BACK TO SEE ME...
YOU MADE ME SEARCH EVERY-WHERE FOR YOU... I'VE BEEN SEARCH-ING FOR SUCH A LONG TIME...
BUT, MY SEARCH WAS IN VAIN... YOU SAID ..

JIAYU...
I'M SORRY...
I'M SORRY.
I...
YUNG JO...
YUNG JO!

Jiayu...
Don't tell me, this time...
Will I lose you forever?
No...
Jiayu!

Huff
Sigh...
Huff
Huff
Huff...
Bad dream again...

Her fever has subsided...
That's good...

Yung Jo...
Where have you been..?
Jiayu...
I'm here...
Why won't you come back?

I'm right here beside you...
Open your eyes and see...
I'll never forsake you again...

I'M BACK.
I'M A LITTLE LATE, SORRY.
YOU CHECKED OUT OF YOUR HOTEL ROOM?
FOR THE SAKE OF TAKING CARE OF JIAYU, I'M IN NO MOOD TO STAY IN THE HOTEL
SHE'S STILL UNCONSCIOUS?

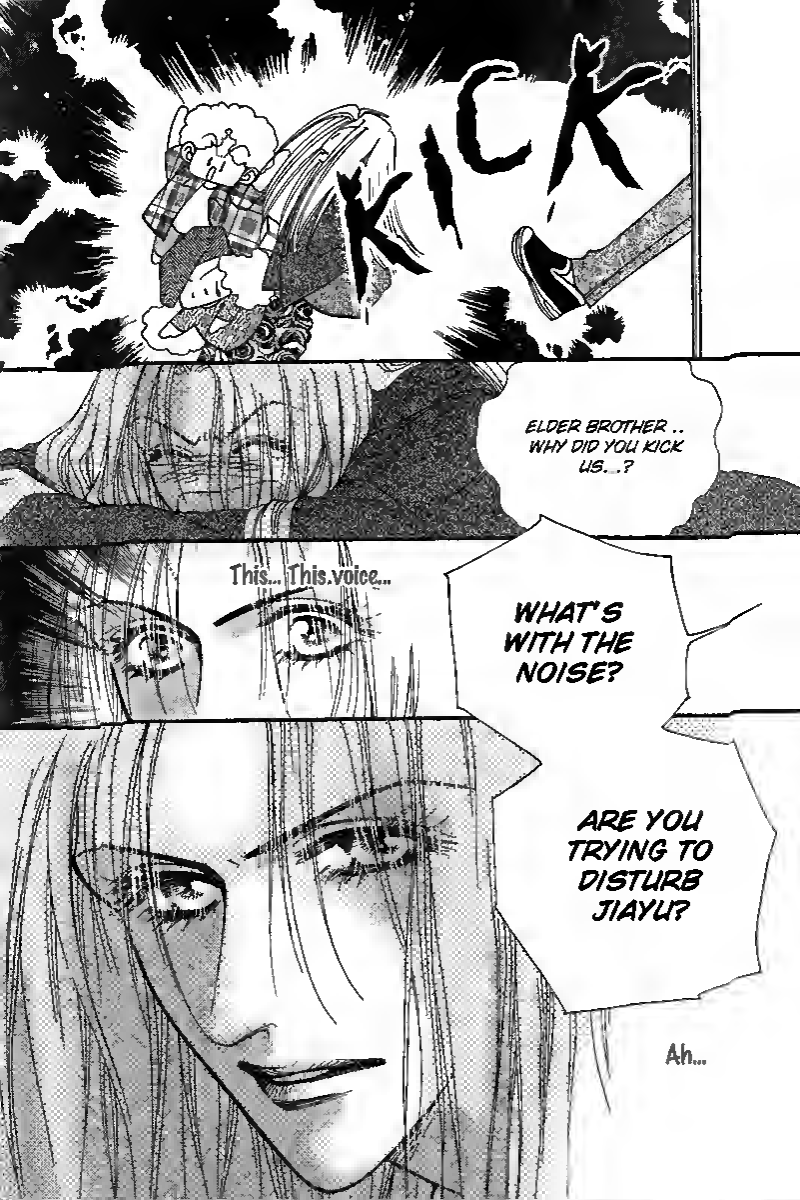
THE DOCTOR HAS EXAMINED HER, AND THE PRELIMINARY REPORT IS OUT.
HE SAID JIAYU DID NOT SUSTAIN ANY OTHER SERIOUS INTERNAL OR EXTERNAL INJURIES
BUT HER HEAD SUSTAINED SOME DAMAGE WHEN SHE FELL HEAD FIRST INTO THE RIVER TIBER.
WELL, I MUST THANK YOU, YUNG JO...
SO, SHE WILL REMAIN UNCONSCIOUS FOR SOME TIME
BUT, THERE IS NO DANGER TO HER LIFE.

YOU EVEN ARRANGED FOR JIAYU TO BE CARED FOR IN THIS FIRST CLASS WARD. INDEED, I MUST THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
THAT THIS ACCIDENT HAPPENED, AND NOT BEING FAMILIAR WITH THE LOCAL LANGUAGE, WE ARE GLAD TO HAVE BUMPED INTO YOU.
YOU HELPED US TAKE CARE OF SO MANY PROBLEMS.
HAVE YOU CONTACTED SISTER CHANG YET?
HOW AM I GOING TO OPEN MY MOUTH?! AH~~~~
When I think of it, my hair stands on end.
THERE IS NO WAY TO REACH HER, SHE'S CURRENTLY IN THE OUTBACK OF AUSTRALIA.
COMMUNICATION OVER THERE IS HARDLY RELIABLE... MOREOVER...
EXCUSE ME, DING PA

HAVE YOU BOUGHT ALL THE REQUIRED DAILY NECESSITIES?
YEAH.
HMM..
SORRY TO TAKE UP SO MUCH OF YOUR TIME...
IT'S SUFFICIENT THAT LE TING AND I ARE HERE...
I WANT TO STAY.
I WANT TO WAIT FOR HER TO REGAIN CONSCIOUSNESS.

SO TOUCHING...
Pffft—
Who's the one who caused this...?
When she opens her eyes,
I must be by her side...
PLEASE COME IN!
KNOCK!
KNOCK!
I'm going to the toilet.
I think the doctor must be here

JIAYU?
SHE... WHAT HAPPENED TO HER?
WHY IS EVERYBODY HERE?
ELDER BROTHER? LITTLE BROTHER DING? WHAT HAPPENED?
JULIAN? IT'S GREAT THAT NOTHING HAPPENED TO YOU...
I WAS SO FRIGHTENED...
HMM?
SCRAPE
WHEN I HEARD THAT YOU WERE IN HOSPITAL...


KICK
ELDER BROTHER .. WHY DID YOU KICK US...?
This... This voice...
WHAT'S WITH THE NOISE?
ARE YOU TRYING TO DISTURB JIAYU?
Ah...

This is indeed your blessing...
Mm...
Mm...
My God...
Leaving just like that without turning around.
What...?
You...
You're not even taking a second look at me?
Come back...
Come back...

Come back
AH!
COME OVER HERE!
AH!
I DID!
DON'T YOU KNOW HOW TO TAKE THEM TO THE AIRPORT?!
BUT THEY REFUSED TO BOARD THE FLIGHT, WHAT CAN I DO?
Interpret
interpret
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING HERE, THEN?

YOU JUMPED OFF THE TRAIN IN SUCH A GREAT HURRY, WITHOUT SAYING ANYTHING... WHEN WE FINALLY MANAGED TO CONTACT YOU, YOU TOLD US THAT YOU WERE IN HOSPITAL...
UNTIL WE COULD FIND OUT WHAT HAD HAPPENED TO YOU...
HOW COULD I BOARD THE FLIGHT IN PEACE?
PLEASE DON'T BLAME LOUIS. I WAS THE ONE WHO INSISTED THAT HE BRING ME HERE
BECAUSE I WAS SO WORRIED FOR YOU..
HEY... YOU'RE MAKING THINGS WORSE!
JULIAN?

LET ME TELL YOU...
SHE WORKED FOR HIM IN HIS STUDIO FOR TWO YEARS... (AH?)
MM... JIAYU WAS HIS APPRENTICE
HE... AND JIAYU... HAVE THEY KNOWN EACH OTHER FOR A LONG TIME?

Ah...
THIS... I THINK YOU'D BETTER ASK THEM YOURSELF.
ARE BOTH OF THEM REALLY...?
INDEED! A GREAT MASTER PRODUCES GREAT DISCIPLES! AH!
LOUIS, THAT GIRL YOU MENTIONED... ARE YOU REFERRING TO JIAYU?
If only... I were the one lying on the hospital bed. That would be really great.
For the sake of his tender loving care... I would be happy to lie there for the rest of my life!
Me... I'm such a busybody! Kei Kei Kei
OH, SO HER PRINCE CHARMING IS YUNG JO.
Trouble's brewing!

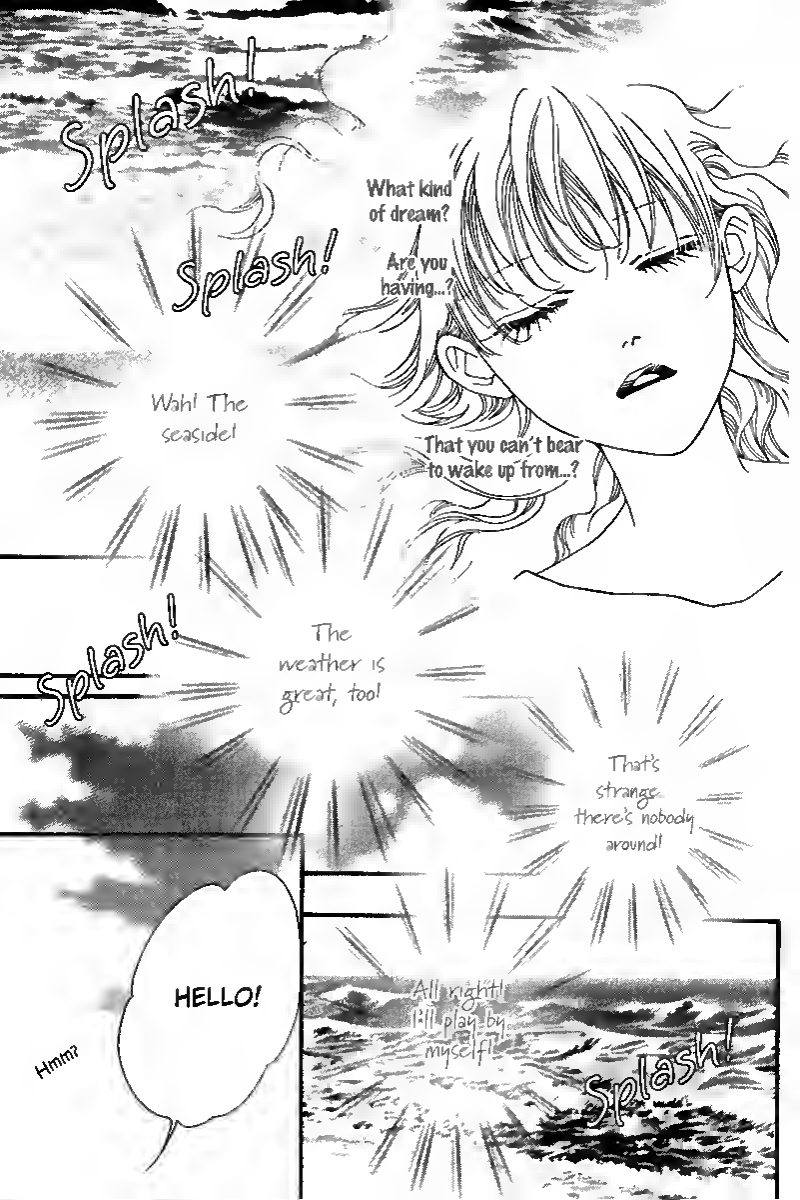
IS THAT OK?
I'M PREPARED TO DO ANYTHING!
KIPLING?
NO, NO, NO! HOW COULD WE TROUBLE YOU?!
IF YOU WISH, YOU CAN VISIT JIAYU EVERY DAY. THAT WILL BE ENOUGH!
LET ME HELP LOOK AFTER JIAYU, TOO!
OK, OK, OK! WE'RE GOING! WE'RE GOING!
Oh...
CRAZY!
NOISY!
IT'S SO NOISY!

BANG!
TOTALLY INCONSID-ERATE!
IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT!

SHE WAS ALWAYS WAITING FOR YOU.
YET, IN THIS PAST YEAR, YOU HAVEN'T SEEN NOR ASKED FOR HER.
THOUGH SHE DID NOT SAY ANYTHING, I KNOW THAT IT HAD BEEN VERY DIFFICULT FOR HER.
THAT SHE'S LIKE THIS TODAY...
IS ALL BECAUSE OF YOU!

IT WAS ALSO BECAUSE OF YOU THAT SHE WENT TO THE WISHING WELL TO MAKE WISHES!
IT WAS BECAUSE OF YOU THAT SHE CAME TO ITALY,
NOW, SHE IS LYING HALF DEAD ON A HOSPITAL BED,
AND IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF YOU!

WHEN SHE WAKES UP,
SHE CAN SCOLD AND EVEN HIT ME...
...AS SHE PLEASES.
But...
Why are you still not waking up...?
Or could it be you saw something in your dreams?


Splash!
Splash!
What kind of dream?
Are you having...?
That you can't bear to wake up from...?
Wah! The seaside!
Splash!
The weather is great, too!
That's strange. There's nobody around!
All right! I'll play by myself!
Splash!
HELLO!
Hmm?

*Translator note: Ke Ke means elder brother in Mandarin.

Ah Jo Ke Ke*!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, MY LITTLE FRIEND?
(You must be bored playing alone.)
I'm waiting for my mama and papa
YOU MEAN IF YOU WAIT FOR THEM AT THE BEACH, THEY WILL COME?
That's right! My grandpa told me, if I miss my papa and mama...
Papa and mama will then fly back from America to look for me!
I must wait for them obediently at the beach, and not cry

Translator's note: If the wrong Chinese characters are used for Italy, it would mean 'one big lump'

Ah Jo Ke Ke... Ah Jo Ke Ke!
Is it very far away?
I sat here and waited for Ah Jo Ke Ke obediently and didn't cry
Let me ask you... "One big lump", just how big a lump is that?
Will Ah Jo Ke Ke fly back from Italy like my papa and mama?
YEP!
I DEFINITELY WILL.
LOOK!

Wah! That's Yung Jo!
Ah Jo Ke Ke, look! Yung Jo really came to look for me
Huh? Where did everyone go?
Ah Jo Ke Ke?
Everyone's gone. Huh?
Yung Jo vanished, too

Yung Jo...
Ah Jo Ke Ke
Why did they both vanish?
Where could they have gone?
Mmm...

Translator's note: The wrong Chinese character "chicken" has been used here for "know".

Translator Note: Sa means three in Taiwanese language, Chi means four in Taiwanese language

Translator's notes : In this case 'pond' has been used instead of 'ten'

THAT . WE'RE SENDING THE CLOTHES TO THE LAUNDRY
AND LE TING'S GOING TO BUY SOME FOOD FIRST
WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO EAT?
ANYTHING IS FINE

Sigh!
it's those guys again...
Won't they give up?
VRRR
VRRR
(Hand phone vibrating)
[Kaphael] Advertising Agency
Once again, we would like to extend our invitation to Mr Yung to join our team!
Kindly return our call to discuss the terms of engagement!
P.S Please do not refuse to return this call again ..

TONG
KEEP QUIET!
Mi scusi (GOODNESS ME!)
BROTHER... I'VE BROUGHT YOU SOME CLOTHES AND SOME FOOD!
MOM WANTED TO COME PERSONALLY...
BUT SHE WAS AFRAID SHE MIGHT DISTURB JIAYU, SO I CAME INSTEAD.
SHALL I PUT THEM HERE?
WHAT'S UP? HAVE YOU MURDERED NIKE'S BOSS?
Decked out in Nike from head to toe
SHE'S GONE OUT...
Don't hide!
Where is she?
Where is she?
I'm such an unlucky man
Sigh

*Translator's notes: Chinese term for someone with very fair complexion.

Author's notes
Actually Lulu is a snob
He wears only the most expensive European branded stuff. He'd rather die than to dress in sports gear
THE SPORTY, HEALTHY, BRIGHT AND CHEERY BEAUTIFUL YOUTH IS SO COOL!
THIS IS MY MOST "IN" LOOK FOR THIS SUMMER.
LET THE "WHITE BOILED CHICKEN" GO FOR SOME TRAINING FIRST!
White boiled chicken???
Lulu's Achilles heel is the fact that he is too fair...
It's not my fault that I can't get a tan...
AREN'T YOU BORED? ISN'T IT NICE THAT I CAME TO KEEP YOU COMPANY?
WHAT'S WRONG?
IF THERE'S NOTHING ELSE, PLEASE LEAVE
DON'T STAY HERE AND BE A NUISANCE.
BAM!

THIS IS NOT A MARKET,
PEOPLE WITH NO BUSINESS HERE SHOULD GET LOST!
BROTHER, YOU ARE FINISHED..
SHE SAID THAT YOU HAVE NO BUSINESS HERE.. SCRAM, QUICKLY!
I've had enough of you
HMM... AS JIAYU'S GOOD FRIEND, I'M VERY MUCH CONCERNED ABOUT HER CONDITION
PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERITY.
WHAT NON-SENSE?!
Yes, Maam!
HAVE YOU SEEN ENOUGH? IF SO, PLEASE GET OUT!
LULU, YOU'RE HERE?
HOW COME YOU'RE SO FREE?

POR!
HAVING SUCH A GOOD FATHER IS ALSO JIAYU'S GOOD FORTUNE.
IT'S INDEED JIAYU'S GOOD FORTUNE TO HAVE SUCH A GOOD FRIEND.
I'M ROME'S LOCAL KINGPIN IF THERE'S ANYTHING THAT YOU NEED, JUST TELL ME
Exercising self-restraint!
BAM
SORRY TO TROUBLE YOU, LE TING.
GUYS GET OUT!
I HAVE TO WIPE JIAYU CLEAN NOW!
SHOVE
FURTHER WIPING WILL DAMAGE HER SKIN.
I'VE ALREADY WIPED HER CLEAN.
WHAT DID YOU SAY?
Mentioning the unmentionable
HUH?

So light...
And it was just a few days, only..
Can't even feel any flesh...
You've become so skinny...

WHY DON'T YOU WAKE UP...?
ARE YOU A PIG?
PLEASE DON'T CONTINUE SLEEPING, OK...?
Is it raining?
Mm...?

Translator notes: She has used the wrong Chinese characters meaning good gun, when what she meant was smells good!)

Wah! Walking grilled cuttlefish!
Grilled cuttlefish! Grilled cuttlefish!
Please wait!
Grilled cuttlefish..
HER CONDITION IS ACTUALLY VERY STABLE THERE ARE NO SIGNS OF DETERIORATION,
BUT...

SHE HAS BEEN UNCONSCIOUS LONGER THAN WE EXPECTED...
THE BLOOD CLOTS IN HER BRAIN ARE DISPERSING TOO SLOWLY,
BUT SHE'S CURRENTLY IN NO CONDITION FOR AN OPERATION, I'M WORRIED...
NO! NO! IT WON'T COME TO THAT BUT THERE MAY BE SOME SIDE EFFECTS
WHAT, THEN? WILL SHE BECOME A VEGETABLE?
INTERPRET, INTERPRET!
WHAT SIDE EFFECTS?

I'M UNABLE TO SAY FOR SURE WHAT SIDE EFFECTS SHE MAY SUFFER FROM...
WE'LL ONLY KNOW IT AFTER SHE WAKES UP
AH...
I'LL COME AGAIN AFTER THE EXAMINATION REPORT IS FINISHED
PLEASE RELAX AS MUCH AS YOU CAN
Grazie! (THANKS FOR THE TROUBLE DOCTOR.)

I SUPPOSE YOU CAME HERE TO SEE JIAYU?
WHY ASK ABOUT ME?
JULIAN!
HOW ARE YOU TODAY?
AHH! IT'S ENOUGH THAT YOU CAME WHY BRING FLOWERS TOO?!
YOU NEEDN'T BE SO POLITE!
GOSH! YOU HAD A STROKE!
COOL!
YOUR BROTHER HAS MORE TASTE THAN I THOUGHT!

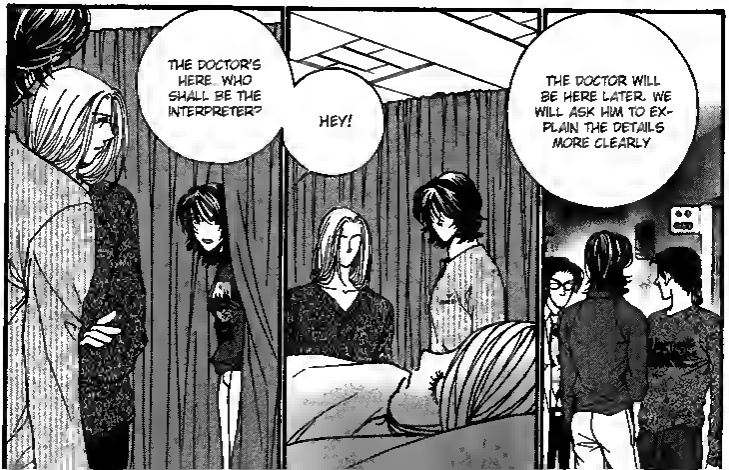
I shall conceal this joyful moment in my heart...
So as to not let her see me in this state...
This is the first time you took the initiative to look me in the eye and talk to me face to face...
I'm no longer like thin air to you...
But, I now have a concrete, bodily existence...
I KNOW, YOU ARE PREJUDICED AGAINST MY BROTHER
IT'S TYPICAL OF A CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK, POOR THINGS .
BOTH BROTHERS ARE WEIRD
What is this guy babbling about?
What?
BUT, HIS FEELINGS FOR JIAYU ARE REAL,
I THINK YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT

IT'S LOVE THAT KEEPS THEM GOING.
IT SADDENS ME TO SEE HIM ON THE VERGE OF COLLAPSE ..
BUT FOR THE DEPTH OF THEIR LOVE,
HE WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO HOLD OUT THIS LONG ..
YOU SHOULD HAVE A TASTE OF THIS KIND OF LOVE ...

YOU THINK I'M HAVING IT EASIER THAN HIM?
IF HE SHOULD COLLAPSE, IT'S OF HIS OWN DOING. HE DESERVES IT!
SO WHAT?

It would not be sufficient to offset the price that Jiayu has paid...
No matter how anxious and guilty he feels,
Is nowhere near what Jiayu had to go through for him!
The pain that Yung Jo is feeling now...
What he owes Jiayu...
It's a love debt that he will not be able to pay in a whole lifetime!
BRAIN SURGERY?

THE DOCTORS FINALLY MADE THIS DECISION
BECAUSE JIAYU'S CONDITION IS BECOMING UNSTABLE...
THE OPERATION IS RISKY, SO WE MUST BE MENTALLY PREPARED...
IF SHE DOESN'T WAKE UP WITHIN THESE NEXT COUPLE OF DAYS, HER CONDITION MAY DETERIORATE...


THE DOCTOR'S HERE. WHO SHALL BE THE INTERPRETER?
HEY!
THE DOCTOR WILL BE HERE LATER. WE WILL ASK HIM TO EXPLAIN THE DETAILS MORE CLEARLY

YOU GO.
I WANT TO STAY HERE.

FOR THE PAST YEAR, I'VE BEEN THINKING IT'S AS THOUGH I HAD BEEN REHEARSING IN MY MIND
WHAT WILL BE MY FIRST WORDS TO YOU WHEN I SEE YOU AGAIN?
AND WHAT WOULD YOU SAY TO ME?
BUT, NOT WITHSTANDING WHAT I HAD THOUGHT, AND HOW I HAD BEEN REHEARSING...

I NEVER COULD IMAGINE THAT IT WOULD BE LIKE THIS...
LEAVING YOU WAS THE MOST STUPID DECISION I MADE IN MY WHOLE LIFE,
BUT I HAVE NO REGRETS,
Come!
Come, play with me!
BECAUSE I FINALLY REALIZED JUST HOW IMPORTANT YOU ARE TO ME,
IT WASN'T JUST A MOMENT OF PASSION, EITHER...
IT WASN'T FEELINGS DEVELOPING OVER TIME,
Let me have it!

I truly love you...

Quick, run for it!
Som...body save me...
THIS PAST YEAR THINKING OF YOU HAS HELPED DISPEL MY LONELINESS
IT'S ONLY BECAUSE OF YOU THAT MY DAYS WERE FILLED WITH HOPE, AND LONGING
YOUR EXISTENCE BRINGS ME MUCH HAPPINESS.
BUT, MY EXISTENCE...

BRINGS YOU ONLY PAIN AND HURT!
I THOUGHT THAT, BY LEAVING YOU, YOU WOULD BE FINE, THAT YOU WOULD FORGET ME BY AND BY,
YOU WOULD BE HAPPIER WITHOUT ME...
BUT I WAS WRONG!

BUT... THE MISTAKE THAT I MADE...
I saw it!
It's over there!
RESULTED IN YOU HAVING TO SUFFER SUCH CONSEQUENCES!
JIAYU...
ARE YOU PUNISHING ME THIS WAY?
Yung Jo!

I BEG YOU... PLEASE WAKE UP...
I'm coming to catch you!
Yay!
I'VE HAD ENOUGH...
I'VE HAD ENOUGH!
I caught you!

Jia...
Jiayu...?

JIAYU... YOU...
THANK GOD... YOU HAVE FINALLY AWAKENED
HAVE YOU OPENED YOUR EYES? ARE YOU REALLY AWAKE?
JIAYU...?
ARE YOU OK? HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

JIAYU .. CAN YOU HEAR ME?
IT'S YUNG JO, CAN YOU HEAR ME?
I'M YUNG JO, LOOK AT ME!
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU, WHY ARE YOU NOT RESPONDING?

DON'T TELL ME, YOU CAN'T HEAR NOR SEE ME?
I'M RIGHT HERE... CAN YOU FEEL IT?
WEREN'T YOU WAITING FOR ME ALL THIS TIME?
NOW THAT I'M RIGHT BESIDE YOU..
DON'T TELL ME YOU ARE UNABLE TO REMEMBER ME?

YUNG...
YUNG... JO?
YUNG...
JO...
YUNG... JO?

AH... I'M DREAMING OF YOU, AGAIN..
YOU AREN'T DREAMING, I'M REALLY HERE...
Heh!
SO, IT'S REAL
BUT, I CAN'T SEE YOU CLEARLY...
IT'S SO DIM... AND BLURRY...

BUT, I CAN HEAR YUNG JO'S VOICE.
HE HAS BEEN CALLING OUT TO ME ALL THIS TIME.
It's not a dream...
This is for real...
Yung Jo is really by my side...
But, somehow, I don't feel that it's real at all.
IT HURTS...
UGH!

I SHALL GO AND CALL THEM.
YOU HAVE BEEN HOSPITALIZED BECAUSE OF YOUR INJURIES.
YOUR DAD AND THE OTHERS ARE TALKING WITH THE DOCTOR OUTSIDE.
HMM?
DON'T RUN OFF AGAIN LIKE THE LAST TIME!
OK?

This time
I promise you
No matter what, I'll never leave you again

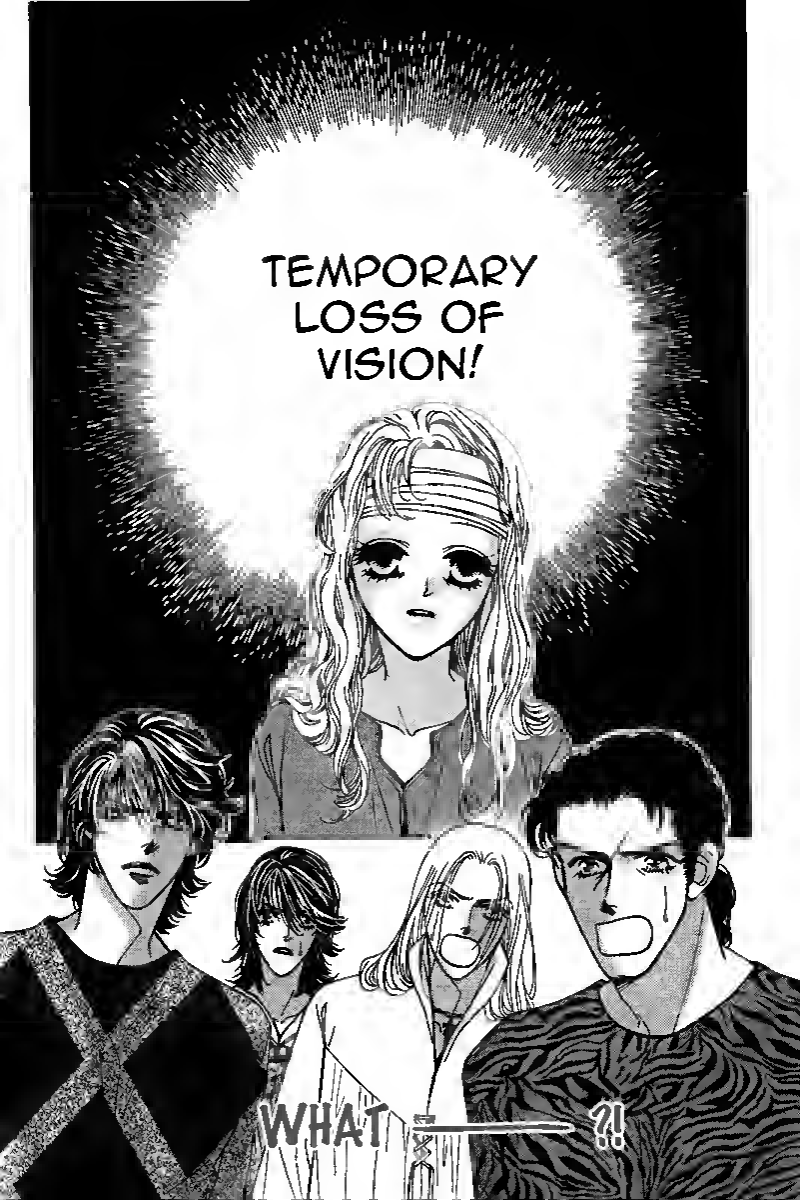
Papa was so worried!
Jiayu... You're finally awake!
DON'T CRY... BE GOOD...
BE GOOD... BE GOOD...
THANK YOU... GODDESS OF MERCY, THANK YOU HOLY MOTHER MARY...
PAPA.
IF YOU HAD DIED...
PAPA WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO CONTINUE LIVING, TOO!
Ush
WHAT'S WRONG?
EH? WHERE'S LE TING?

I'M LULU! I'M HERE, TOO!
AH? LULU IS HERE, TOO?
IS THAT SO... ARE YOU LE TING?
I WAS HERE ALL THE TIME
ME?
WHY DON'T I SEE LE TING HERE?
THAT'S STRANGE... I HEAR YOUR VOICES...
BUT, I CAN'T SEE YOUR FACES...
WHY ARE THE LIGHTS NOT SWITCHED ON?

SO DIM... SO BLURRY...
JIAYU .. WHERE ARE YOU HURT?
TELL PAPA, QUICK!
I can't see anything!

Look that way...
Hmm?
Look this way...
Hmm...

HMM...
DOCTOR.. DOCTOR... HOW IS SHE?
BASED ON THE OUTCOME OF THE EXAMINATION,
I'M VERY SORRY
I HAVE TO TELL EVERYBODY, SHE'S SUFFERING FROM...


TEMPORARY
LOSS OF
VISION!
WHAT ?!

DOCTOR
NO! TEMPORARY LOSS OF VISION MEANS THAT THE SUFFERER LOSES PART OR ALL OF HER SIGHT VERY SUDDENLY
ARE YOU SAYING SHE'S GOING TO BE BLIND?
BUT, SHE MAY ALSO REGAIN PART OF HER SIGHT VERY SUDDENLY AS WELL
#※◎……
#※&……
#※◎……
I just call... to say... I love you...
LOOKING AT HER CURRENT CONDITION, SHE'S ONLY SLIGHTLY BETTER THAN BEING COMPLETELY BLIND
☆#◎……
SHE'S ABLE TO TELL THE DIRECTION FROM WHICH LIGHT IS COMING
☆#◎……
Fated... or not fated
Let's get together everybody
And have a toast...
Bottoms up! Bottoms up!
SHE'S ALSO ABLE TO DETECT MOVING OBJECTS
BUT, SHE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO SEE CLEARLY, COLORS OR DETAILS OF OBJECTS
&☆#……
Translator note: Lyrics of a Taiwanese song
Let's go to Hawaii...!
Let's go
Let's go
EVERYTHING WILL APPEAR BLURRY

IF YOU CAN'T TOLERATE, THEN THERE IS NO NEED TO DO SO
WHACK!!
THERE'S AN ANCIENT SAYING IF YOU CAN TOLERATE, DO SO
JIAYU! JIAYU!
MISTER! HOW CAN YOU TREAT A PATIENT SO VIOLENTLY?!
Shit!
One step too slow!
Psh!
One,
Two,
Three,
Four,
DAMNIT! TYPICAL EXAMPLE OF SOMEONE WHO'S ALWAYS ASKING FOR IT!
Oh! I think I can see more clearly, now!
Mm! So cute!
MM
HOW WAS IT? PAINFUL?
MM

COOL IT! NO NEED TO BE SO UP-TIGHT, OK?
CAN'T TEMPORARY MEAN A WHOLE LIFE-TIME?
SO HOW TEMPORARY IS THIS "TEMPORARY" GOING TO BE?
BEEP! BEEP! BEEP!
LUCKILY... IT'S ONLY A TEMPORARY LOSS OF VISION.
Could be considered as fortunate in times of misfortune
MM! NO NEWS AT ALL.
HOW IS IT? STILL CAN'T FIND DING MA?
WHAT AM I TO DO? I'M A LITTLE WORRIED...
RUB
SLAP!
AH!

BUT MY EYES ARE SO BLURRY, I FEEL SO UNCOMFORTABLE!
DON'T KEEP RUBBING YOUR EYES!
SO DISOBEDIENT!
WHACK!
WHACK!
WHACK!
WAH!
WAH!
WAH!
ARE YOU REALLY YUNG JO?

HAVEN'T I WHACKED YOU ENOUGH?
You should change your name to "Chen Suk."
YOU DOUBT ME?
THAT'S NOT IT... BUT, RIGHT NOW, I'M FEELING DROWSY AND I CAN'T SEE CLEARLY,
SO EVERYTHING FEELS UNREAL
AHH... WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO?
ALL RIGHT! I SHALL NOW LET YOU HAVE A TASTE OF REALITY!

*Translator Note: Ojisan means old man in Japanese, but has a derogatory connotation.

YOU... CAN'T SEE AT ALL?
I CAN SEE YOUR JAW LINE A LITTLE.
BUT, I CAN'T SEE CLEARLY HOW MANY NEW WRINKLES YOU HAVE
COUNT YOURSELF LUCKY, HEH' HEH.

HMM?
I'M VERY CLOSE, CAN YOU SEE ME?
STILL NO?
STILL CLOSER? HOW ABOUT THIS?
Ah..

I... I STILL CAN'T SEE CLEARLY... BUT...
I CAN SMELL YOU, THOUGH...
IT'S SO MILD... SO FRAGRANT AND REFRESHING...
IT'S THE SAME COLOGNE AS BEFORE.
AH... WHY ARE YOU GETTING SO CLOSE?
I'M TELLING YOU... YOU CAN'T TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ME JUST BECAUSE I CAN'T SEE.
EH?
WHAT'S THE MATTER? WHAT DID YOU SEE?
AH!

LULU!
AH! JIAYU... YOUR... YOU...
YOUR EYES H VE RECOVERED?
NOT AT ALL!
YOU WERE BUYING ME PIZZA! I SMELL IT, BRING IT HERE!
YOU SAID...
LULU! THE PIZZA SMELLS REALLY GREAT!
VR...!
Ruining the atmosphere! Lightbulb! Are you blind?! Don't you know when you're not welcome?!
SIZZLE!
SIZZLE!
SIZZLE!

EAT SLOWLY, THERE'S PLENTY MORE
HMM?
IS IT GOOD?
COME! HAVE SOME SOFT DRINK, TOO!
I HAVE SOMETHING TO DO.
TAKE CARE OF JIAYU WHILE I'M AWAY.
I'LL BE BACK SHORTLY.
I'M WRONG... I'M WRONG.
I CAN MANAGE... I CAN MANAGE.
Hmph!
WHERE ARE YOU? WHERE ARE YOU?
YUNG JO! YUNG JO!
PLEASE DON'T GO! PLEASE DON'T GO!

WHERE'S YUNG JO?
I'LL HELP YOU WIPE
THE NAPKIN IS OVER HERE
LULU? YUNG JO?
ARE THERE ANY PAPER NAPKINS?
It's so oily and messy
OH?
EH?
AH?
ISN'T HE HERE?
THIS... THAT...
OH... MY PRECIOUS... IT'S YOUR LUCKY DAY.
SUCH FLAVOR IS AVAILABLE ONLY IN HEAVEN, AND IT'S HARD TO COME BY ON EARTH.
JUST FOR YOU, HE HAS GONE TO BUY THE MOST DELICIOUS AND MOST UPMARKET SPAGHETTI IN THE WHOLE OF ROME!
DID YOU SEE LE TING?
Snigger! Snigger!
I'm so bloody tempted in C rolling orders...
SPA-GHETTI!
SPA-GHETTI!

COO! COO! COO!
I'M SUCH A LUCKY GREEN BIRD...
IT'S NOT BAD! LULU!
I can't tell without seeing that you are indeed lucky
HEH! PFFT!
THAT GOES WITHOUT SAYING!
WHEN IT COMES TO ME?
IT'S TRUE!
IT'S SO.
Unable to say it out loud
LET ME TELL YOU!
LE TING FINDS THOSE OVERLY PROACTIVE GUYS AS OBNOXIOUS AND REPULSIVE AS FLIES
SHE THINKS THAT GUYS WHO COME ON TOO STRONGLY AND DO NOT KNOW WHEN TO GIVE UP ARE BIG SISSIES AND HAVE NO MANLY APPEAL AT ALL
FOR THIS REASON ALONE, SHE TURNED AWAY MANY GUYS
FURTHERMORE, DON'T EVER LET HER FEEL THAT YOU ARE TRYING TO WIN HER, PLEASE HER AND THAT YOU ARE SO HARD UP OVER HER!
IF YOU DO, SHE WILL BE VERY TURNED OFF BY YOU!

Wah... that really was a wake up call! I never thought that one treat of a 10,000 lira sausage pizza could buy me one whole lifetime of happiness... It's really worth it... great value for money!
JIAYU!
JIAYU! JIAYU, SEE WHO'S HERE!
SEE WHAT? I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING!
HI!
AH...? IT'S YOU...
She's able to tell who they are from their voices
...

I'VE SOMETHING TO DISCUSS WITH THE DOCTOR. CAN YOU COME WITH ME?
MM?
I'M SO WORRIED ABOUT YOU...
DIDN'T BOTH OF YOU GO BACK TO NEW YORK?
Why is this woman dressed this way to visit a patient in hospital?
What is she up to?
WE RUSHED OVER AS SOON AS WE HEARD SOMETHING HAPPENED TO YOU
DAVID AND I VISITED YOU ALMOST DAILY!
JIAYU,
YOU REALLY CAN'T SEE AT ALL?
NOW I SEE THAT YOU'RE FINE. I'M MORE RELIEVED.
SORRY TO TROUBLE YOU! HEHE...
I MUST CONTROL MYSELF!
No! I shouldn't become an obnoxious fly that she finds repulsive!
Control! I must control myself!

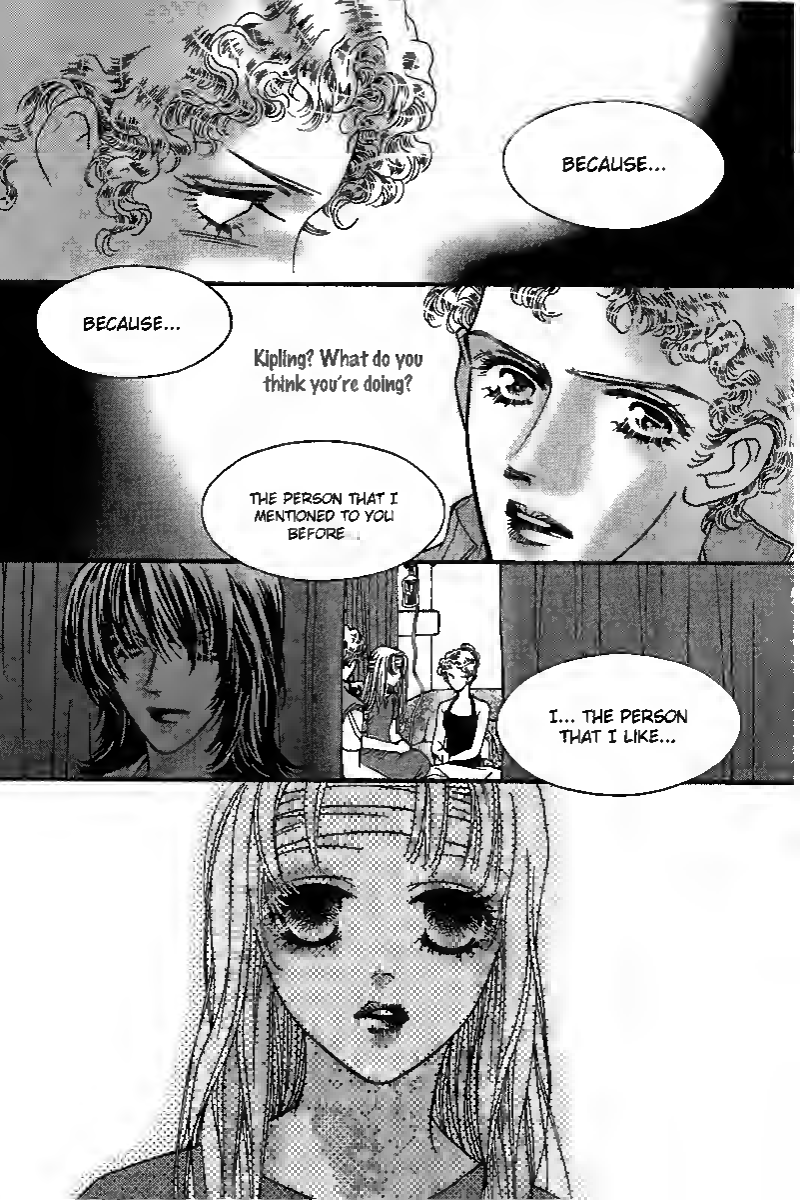
THIS IS ONLY TEMPORARY. I'LL RECOVER VERY SOON.
I'M NOT WORRIED AT ALL.
BUT, DURING THIS PERIOD YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GO AROUND TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT. WHAT A PITY....
CAN'T BE HELPED.
WHEN I'VE RECOVERED I'LL CONTINUE WHERE I LEFT OFF AND TAKE PHOTOS TO MY HEART'S CONTENT.
THAT'S RIGHT, WHEN I'VE RECOVERED, LET'S ASK YUNG JO TO COME ALONG, TOO....
JIAYU,
JULIAN... HE'S NOT AROUND?
WASN'T HE WITH YOU ALL THIS TIME?

Ju / Julian / Sounds familiar, yet unfamiliar...
AH?! SO, YOU KNOW YUNG JO!
THEY KNOW EACH OTHER.
SHE'S REFERRING TO YUNG JO.
BEFORE THIS, WE HAD BEEN FOLLOWING HIM ON HIS VACATION FOR MORE THAN TEN DAYS.
WE HAD GONE TO MANY PLACES!
REALLY?!
Hey! Look this way!
WHAT A COINCI-DENCE! WHY SO COINCIDENTAL?
WE KNOW HIM BECAUSE OUR DADDY IS HIS WORKING COLLEAGUE.
FURTHERMORE, I'M LIKE YOU
I WOULD LIKE TO BECOME HIS AP-PRENTICE TO IMPROVE MY SKILLS!

IT'S NOT LIKE THE TIME I WENT WITH HIM TO GREECE. I WAS TOTALLY POOPED OUT!
HE'S TALL, LONG LEGGED WITH BIG STRIDES, I HAD TO CHASE AFTER HIM, EVEN AS I WAS TAKING PHOTOS
Ahh! It wasn't easy going at all
WE STARTED FROM NORTHERN ITALY AND CAME ALL THE WAY DOWN TO ROME. ALONG THE WAY, WE VISITED MANY CITIES, BOTH BIG AND SMALL.
WE TOOK MANY GREAT PHOTO-GRAPHS, TOO.
THAT'S GREAT! YOU MUST SHOW ME ALL THOSE PHOTOGRAPHS!
WAS THAT ALL?
THE TWO OF YOU WENT ALONE TO GREECE OTHER THAN TAKING PHOTOS, TREKKING, SIGHTSEEING, DON'T TELL ME ?
NOTHING ELSE HAPPENED?
AH WHAT I MEAN IS
AH? WHAT ELSE IS THERE?
THAT'S RIGHT! YOU'RE ASKING SUCH A STRANGE QUESTION.

OF COURSE THERE IS!
Ahhhh...
I LOST MY WAY!
LOST YOUR WAY? WOW, THAT'S COOL!
BOTH OF YOU... A SINGLE GUY AND A SINGLE GIRL, WENT ALONE ON HOLIDAY,
EATING TOGETHER, DRINKING TOGETHER, AND MAY BE EVEN SLEEPING TOGETHER IN THE SAME ROOM...
What am I trying to say...?
DO YOU KNOW HOW BIG AND HOW CONFUSING THE LABYRINTH OF KYLOS IS?
NO JOKE!
I'M NOT REFERRING TO THAT!
I ALMOST DIED INSIDE!
HOW IS IT POSSIBLE... THAT NOTHING HAPPENED AT ALL? AM I RIGHT?

KIPLING?
How can she even ask such questions...?
shame, shame shame
How obnoxious
NOTHING HAPPENED AT ALL...
HE'S MUCH OLDER THAN I AM, AND I'M MUCH YOUNGER THAN HE IS,
HE WASN'T INTERESTED IN ME AT ALL!
YOU'RE TOO MUCH, KIPLING
ALWAYS SO CONCERNED WITH SUCH MATTERS!
I...
OF COURSE I'M CONCERNED...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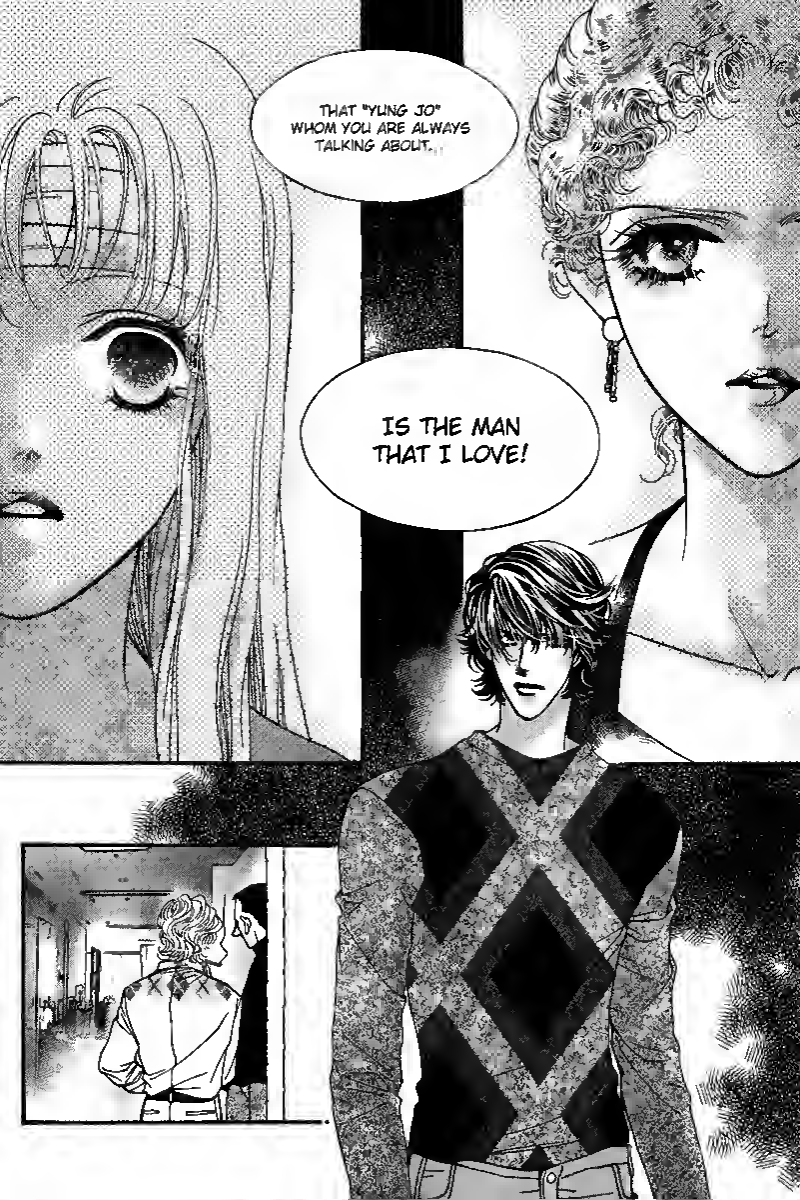
BECAUSE...
Kipling? What do you think you're doing?
THE PERSON THAT I MENTIONED TO YOU BEFORE...
I... THE PERSON THAT I LIKE...


THAT "YUNG JO" WHOM YOU ARE ALWAYS TALKING ABOUT...
IS THE MAN THAT I LOVE!

WHAT DO YOU WANT?
HE'S HERE..
WE ARE HERE ON BEHALF OF "RAPHAEL" TO EXPRESS HIS SINCERITY IN WANTING TO COLLABO RATE WITH YOU
WE HOPE YOU CAN ACCEPT RAPHAEL'S INVITATION TO JOIN OUR TEAM
I'M NOT INTERESTED.
NOR DO I HAVE THE TIME. PLEASE LOOK FOR SOME-ONE ELSE!
YOU'RE NOT WILLING TO GIVE ME SOME FACE

LET ME INTRODUCE YOU.
THIS IS RAPHAEL'S CREATIVE DIRECTOR...
GIO?

COME STA?
(LONG TIME NO SEE!)
WON'T YOU TAKE A SEAT AND HAVE A CUP OF COFFEE?

I'M BUSY RIGHT NOW.
IF THERE IS ANY-THING, PLEASE SAY IT QUICKLY!
I HEARD THAT RECENTLY YOU'VE BEEN COMING TO THE HOSPITAL A LOT WHAT'S UP?
IS IT... YOUR MOTHER IS ILL?
MY MOM IS FINE!!
Crow mouth!
ACTUALLY... THE PRESSURE THAT I'M UNDER RECENTLY IS SO GREAT THAT I ALMOST NEEDED TO BE HOSPITALIZED, TOO...
UH... I'M SORRY...

Higher ups?
THE HIGHER UPS HAVE GIVEN ME AN ULTIMATUM
HMPH!
IT'S A LONG TIME SINCE I ENGAGED IN "COMMERCIAL SHOOTS"
TELL YOUR HIGHER UPS TO LOOK FOR SOMEONE BETTER
THAT'S RIGHT! WHY DON'T YOU TAKE UP THE JOB YOURSELF?
YOU WERE A PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER YOURSELF, AFTER ALL!
THEY WANT ME TO PERSONALLY INVITE YOU TO REJOIN "RAPHAEL"
I RUSHED BACK FROM PARIS SPECIALLY TO CARRY OUT THIS ASSIGNMENT

HOW CAN I COMPARE MYSELF TO YOU- EVERY ONE IN "RAPHAEL"
IS TRYING VERY HARD TO CRAWL OUT OF YOUR SHADOW
EVEN THOUGH YOU LEFT "RAPHAEL" SO MANY YEARS AGO
THE PRESENCE OF YOUR LONG SHADOW REMAINS STRONGLY FELT
I'M USELESS, THAT'S WHY...
A BUNCH OF USELESS BUMS

PLEASE COME BACK!
AND LEAD US ONCE AGAIN
WANT ME TO REJOIN "RAPHAEL"?
I CAN! I'VE ONLY GOT ONE SIMPLE CONDITION.

ONLY IF YOU AND YOUR HIGHER UPS QUIT "RAPHAEL"
THEN, I WILL RETURN IMMEDIATELY SO...
THIS TIME AROUND, IT'S UP TO YOU TO CONSIDER THIS CAREFULLY.
is only an empty shell trying to put on an appearance...
The "Raphael" now...
Since a long time ago, "Raphael" is no longer the world that I created personally with my own hands!..

How the outside world has changed,
I can't care less.
Because the life that I want,
is already within my grasp!

MM?
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
WHY ARE YOU BEING SO QUIET?
MM?
MM?
MM... WHAT?
JIAYU?
JIAYU?
WHAT DID YOU SAY?

I DIDN'T NOTICE IT!
SO SORRY...
That's strange... Recently, I seem to be spacing out all the time...
SO, YOU WERE SPACING OUT?
WHAT'S WRONG? YOU WERE SO STRANGE ..
WHAT I'M TRYING TO SAY IS — JULIAN
SPACING OUT? DID I?
I JUST SPACED OUT..
THEN.... DID YOU KNOW THAT JULIAN HAS A GIRL-FRIEND IN NEW YORK?
HAS HE EVER MENTIONED THAT PERSON TO YOU?
KIPLING! YOU'RE AT IT AGAIN?

YUNG JO HE HAS A GIRLFRIEND IN NEW YORK?
OH, YES - HIS GIRLFRIEND...
FOR HER SAKE HE HAS DECIDED TO GO TO NEW YORK...
MAYBE THEY HAVE DECIDED TO LIVE TOGETHER
YOU ARE HIS APPRENTICE,
SURELY YOU HAVE HEARD ABOUT THIS?
YUNG JO'S... NEW YORK... GIRLFRIEND ..?

OH, YES! YUNG JO HAS GIRLFRIENDS ALL OVER THE WORLD!
I THINK HE'S NO LONGER SURE ABOUT IT HIMSELF!
SO, HOW CAN I BE SURE ABOUT ANYTHING?
STOP ASKING QUESTIONS ABOUT THAT GUY, OK?
BUT... I WANT TO KNOW!
So thirsty...
I FEEL TERRIBLE KEEPING THINGS IN MY HEART
JIAYU ALREADY SAID THAT SHE'S NOT SURE... SO, CAN YOU STOP IT NOW?
Where's the water?
HOW IS THAT POSSIBLE?
I'M SO SORRY!
YOU HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH HIM FOR SO LONG, HOW CAN THAT BE...?
KIPLING! WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO?
WE'RE HERE TODAY TO VISIT JIAYU!

JIAYU? YOU WANT SOME WATER?
I'LL GET A GLASS FOR YOU
IT'S OK, I GOT IT.
AH!
DROP
CRASH
CRASH
THE GLASS .. THE GLASS BROKE, RIGHT?
DID IT HURT ANY OF YOU?
IT'S ALL RIGHT, IT'S ALL RIGHT. JUST KEEP STILL.
WHERE DID THE GLASS DROP? LET ME CLEAN IT UP.
IT'S DANGEROUS! DON'T GET DOWN FROM THE BED!
WITH YOUR EYES AS THEY ARE, IT WILL BE INCONVENIENT.
I'LL HELP YOU TIDY UP, ELSE YOU MIGHT GET CUT BY THE BROKEN SHARDS.

I'M SORRY...
NO... I SHOULDN'T HAVE SAID THAT...
BUT...
IF JULIAN SEES YOU INJURED AGAIN WHEN HE COMES BACK,
HE MIGHT BLAME DAVID AND I...
WHEN I SAW JULIAN LOOKING SO WORRIED AND ANXIOUSLY WATCHING OVER YOU BY YOUR BEDSIDE,
I WAS SO ENVIOUS OF JULIAN TAKING CARE OF YOU SO METICULOUSLY! I THOUGHT, THEN...
YOU MUST BE VERY IMPORTANT TO HIM?
BUT, THEN I RECALLED...
DURING THE HALF A YEAR THAT I SPENT TOGETHER WITH HIM, DAY IN, DAY OUT...

HE NEVER MENTIONED ANYTHING ABOUT YOU!
STRANGE,
HE TRAINED YOU SO WELL...
BY RIGHT...
SHOULDN'T HE BE VERY PROUD OF YOU AND THEREFORE BRAG ABOUT YOU?!
BUT, HE NEVER DID!
That very instant...

I had this feeling that I saw Kipling's smug and beautiful face.
It appears as though she's trying to tell me...
That Yung Jo's girlfriend in New York is actually her...
Could that really be so?
Rustle
Yung Jo and Kipling
THAT IS TO SAY THAT BOTH OF YOU...
WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

LET ME DO IT!
HOW COULD WE ALLOW THE GUESTS TO CLEAN THE FLOOR?

OK! JIAYU NEEDS TO REST NOW,
PLEASE GO OUTSIDE
THAT... I...
IF YOU CAN'T SEE THAT MEANS YOU CAN'T SEE WHY PRETEND TO BE STRONG?
YOU! DON'T YOU KNOW HOW TO TELL ME IF YOU WANT A DRINK?
YOU BROKE A GLASS AND STILL LET THE GUEST DO THE CLEANING UP!
PLEASE...
Let's go
TAKE A NAP FIRST.
THE DOCTOR WILL BE COMING SHORTLY TO EXAMINE YOU AND REMOVE YOUR BANDAGES AT THE SAME TIME.

WE WILL VISIT HER AGAIN TOMORROW
THAT WON'T BE NECESSARY
IF YOU ARE STILL THINKING OF ASKING HER MORE NONSENSICAL QUESTIONS,
YOU'RE NOT WELCOME!

WHAT DO YOU HOPE TO FIND OUT FROM JIAYU?
IS SHE SO EASILY AGITATED?
I... DID I SAY ANYTHING WRONG?
I ONLY WANTED TO KNOW MORE ABOUT JULIAN,
SHE AND YUNG JO HAVE NOT BEEN TOGETHER FOR EXACTLY TWO YEARS.
DURING THIS TIME, THERE WAS TOTALLY NO CONTACT BETWEEN THEM. BUT, AS FOR YOU,
WHY, THEN, ARE YOU STILL HOPING TO FIND OUT FROM OTHER WOMEN THINGS CONCERNING THE MAN WHO WAS BY YOUR SIDE?
DIDN'T YOU SAY THAT YOU SPENT MORE THAN HALF A YEAR BY HIS SIDE?
THAT BEING THE CASE WOULDN'T YOU BE MORE FAMILIAR WITH HIM?
WOULDN'T ASKING YUNG JO DIRECTLY BE SIMPLER?

NO... I... AM ONLY...
THE POWER OF A LOVE STRICKEN WOMAN IS FRIGHTENING INDEED
NO MATTER HOW BEAUTIFUL A WOMAN IS, ONCE SHE IS LOVE STRUCK
SHE WOULD ALSO BECOME TOO LOATHSOME TO BEHOLD. YOU'D BETTER WATCH IT.
BUT, TO SOME MEN, IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE!
WOMEN! AS LONG AS THEY HAVE A BEAUTIFUL FACE AND A SEXY BODY,
THEY CAN GET ANY MAN THEY WANT, BUT, THEN...

IF HER ASSETS ARE SO GOOD, AND YET SHE STILL CAN'T WIN THE MAN SHE FANCIES...
THEN, SHE'D BETTER GO AND REFLECT...
So...
Yung Jo already has a girlfriend...
But, my being injured has held him up...
He plans to live with his new girlfriend in New York.

Where is Yung Jo?
Where has he gone?
Yung Jo?!
Why is he still not back after so long?
But
He said he'd be back shortly!
BANG!
SLIP!
AHH!

The door?
Where's the door?
I can't see it...
This won't do... I must look for him...
AH...
SO PAINFUL
So dark...
So blurry...
I don't want...
I don't want to be like this...
It was so difficult to see Yung Jo again...
I can't see anything at all!
Of all times, why am I unable to see now?!
Why ...?

COME, THE BED IS OVER HERE...
LET ME HELP YOU.
I WANT TO FIND... I WANT TO FIND YUNG JO...
AHHH! WHAT'S THE MATTER?
YOU FELL OFF THE BED?
AH THIS...
I... I THINK...
IS HE NOT COMING BACK?
WHY IS HE STILL NOT BACK AFTER SO LONG?
WHERE IS YUNG JO? WHERE HAS HE GONE?
BUT HE'S BEEN GONE SO LONG, HE SHOULD BE BACK BY NOW...
WELL, HE HAS GONE TO BUY SPAGHETTI!
DIDN'T I TELL YOU BEFORE...?

IT'S OUR PROMISE TO EACH OTHER!
NO, NO! DON'T WORRY...
HE'LL BE BACK SOON SO BE GOOD.
LULU... CAN YOU HELP ME LOOK FOR YUNG JO?
I'VE TOLD HIM BEFORE, IF HE DOESN'T COME BACK TO LOOK FOR ME, I'LL GO LOOK FOR HIM.
Brother... Where the hell are you?!
Come back quickly!
WHAT ARE BOTH OF YOU DOING ON THE FLOOR?
JIAYU! DON'T BE SO IMPATIENT! HE'LL REALLY BE BACK SOON
I WANT TO GO LOOK FOR YUNG JO!

JIAYU KEEPS INSISTING THAT SHE WANTS TO LOOK FOR YOU.
DID YOU GO ON A ROUND THE WORLD TRIP?
YUNG JO?
You only just got back!
YUNG JO?
UP TO SOME SORT OF MISCHIEF?
I WENT TO BUY SPAGHETTI.
THERE WAS A LONG QUEUE, SO I HAD TO WAIT FOR QUITE AWHILE
TAKE IT!
You... you actually went to buy spaghetti! This incident clearly proves that we are brothers, after all. There is so much chemistry between the two of us!
Yung Jo!
I'LL HELP JIAYU BACK TO BED!

I THOUGHT... YOU... YOU WOULDN'T BE COMING BACK!
JUST LIKE... BEFORE... DITCHING ME, AGAIN...
NOT CARING ABOUT ME ANYMORE...
PLOP!
!...
WHAT IS THERE TO CRY ABOUT?
I'M BACK NOW, AREN'T I?
I don't want to cry either
DON'T CRY ANYMORE!
I don't want to cry...

Since I regained consciousness...
When I discovered that I could not see...
BE GOOD.
Causing me to almost forget...
But...
I did not feel frightened.
because Yung Jo was by my side.
it comforts me to hear his voice.
DON'T CRY ANYMORE.
that I've lost eighty percent of my sight...

But now, I'm very frightened...
I'm afraid that I will never be able to see again...
JIAYU?
YOU'VE FALLEN ASLEEP?
What if I remained blind my whole life?
What am I to do?
I'VE CARRIED YOU TO THE BED...
BE GOOD AND LIE STILL.
A scene...
Just a few moments ago,
a scene flashed through my mind .
that frightens me greatly...

Yung-Jo and Kipling...
Both of them look so...
Both of them have bright and healthy blue eyes...
compatible...

THE DOCTOR SAID THAT HER SYMPTOMS ARE TYPICAL OF THE AFTER EFFECTS OF BRAIN TRAUMA
EASILY AGITATED, AND EMOTIONALLY UNSTABLE,
THERE MAY EVEN BE SOME CHANGES TO HER PERSONALITY
BUT, THE GOOD NEWS IS, SHE IS STEADILY REGAINING HER SIGHT.
RIGHT NOW, SHE HAS ABOUT 30% OF HER VISION
FOR GOODNESS SAKE! RIGHT NOW, SHE CRIES HERSELF TO SLEEP. AND CRIES WHEN SHE AWAKENS!
IT WILL BE A MIRACLE IF SHE REGAINS HER SIGHT!

I'M THINKING OF TAKING JIAYU HOME
AH? NOW?
DOES HER CONDITION PERMIT HER TO FLY A LONG DISTANCE?
THIS... I'VE ALREADY DISCUSSED THIS WITH THE DOCTOR.
HE WILL EXAMINE HER CAREFULLY, AGAIN,
IF THERE'S NOTHING SERIOUS,
SHE MAY BE DISCHARGED WITHIN THE NEXT COUPLE OF DAYS
SIGH... IT'S POINTLESS TO REMAIN IN ITALY INDEFINITELY
I'LL ONLY BE ABLE TO TAKE GOOD CARE OF HER IN OUR HOME IN NEW YORK.

YUNG JO?
YUNG JO?
HUH?
WHERE ARE YOU?
YUNG...?

I'M RIGHT HERE!
YOU CRYBABY!
EH? WHERE'S MY FATHER?
WHEN I OPENED MY EYES, IT WAS ALL DARK, AND NOT A SOUND!
I'M NOT A CRYBABY!
IT WAS SCARY
I'M SO SORRY...
ARE YOU TRYING TO TIRE ME TO DEATH?!
I WAS ONLY TRYING TO CATCH A SHORT NAP ON THE SOFA, AND HERE YOU ARE YELLING YOUR HEAD OFF!
WHERE'S LE TING?

THEY'VE GONE TO ARRANGE FOR YOUR DISCHARGE,
IF EVERYTHING GOES WELL, YOU SHOULD BE DISCHARGED WITHIN THE NEXT COUPLE OF DAYS.
THEN... THEN, WHAT ABOUT YOU?
AFTER I RETURN TO NEW YORK WHAT ABOUT YOU?

DO YOU WANT ME TO RETURN TO NEW YORK TOGETHER WITH YOU?
AH? ME? HOW WOULD I KNOW?
Actually, I don't want to return to New York... But...
I ONLY WISH TO KNOW, AFTER THIS, WHERE WOULD YOUR JOB TAKE YOU?
I'M ONLY ASKING FOR FUN...
If Yung Jo decides to return to New York,
I won't be able to do anything to stop him.
Because someone is waiting for him to go back together...
That person is like me...
Waiting for him all this time...

Waiting for him all this time...
I WOULD LIKE TO GO FOR A WALK!
YUNG JO!
WHAT IS IT NOW?
SHALL WE GO OUT FOR A STROLL?
THE WEATHER OUTSIDE SEEMS GREAT!
NOPE!
GIVEN YOUR CURRENT CONDITION, DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT IT!

OK... OK... I'LL TAKE YOU OUT
I WANT TO GO OUT... I'LL BE BORED TO DEATH IN THE HOSPITAL ROOM...
I WANT TO GO OUT!
STOP CRYING ..!
THUMP!
THUMP!
NO...
TEARS POURING OUT CONTINUOUSLY..
BAWLING NON-STOP..
Boo!
Hoo!
I'VE ALREADY PROMISED TO TAKE YOU OUT TO PLAY, SO, WHY ARE YOU STILL CRYING?
STOP CRYING!
Sir!
Yes!

Tears are pouring out like a leaky faucet...
Pouring out non-stop...
I'm not able to control myself anymore ...
I DON'T WANT TO, EITHER...
BUT, I JUST CAN'T HELP MYSELF! A SEVERE LOSS OF THE FACULTY OF SELF CONTROL!
LET'S GO!
OK...
WAIL

Finally...
I'll become an obnoxious cry baby!
I don't want this...
Boo hoo...
I feel like crying all the time...
I feel like crying when I'm angry.
I feel like crying when I'm happy.
I feel like crying when I'm day-dreaming.
HOW COME I DON'T SEE JIAYU AROUND?
HM?
VRR...
VRRR...
Phone?
YUNG JO TOOK HER OUT FOR A STROLL.

ANDY?
I DON'T KNOW ANY ANDY!
YOU'VE GOT THE WRONG NUMBER.
Hello... wifey...!
Hello?!
Must be my wife calling me...
Is that Mr Ding? It's Andy!
YOU'RE IN ROME? HOW CAN THAT BE?
I'm in Rome right now. I...
I'm Jennifer's colleague. We've met a few times.
I've often mentioned to you that I've a pair of twin children, have you forgotten?
HM...
OH, THAT ANDY!
DIDN'T YOU AND MY WIFE GO TO AUSTRALIA WITH THE CREW FOR A PROJECT?
No... I need to see you now, there's something...
It's... concerning Jennifer...

YOU... WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
FEN FANG...
SHE...

SOMETHING HAPPENED TO HER IN AUSTRALIA?
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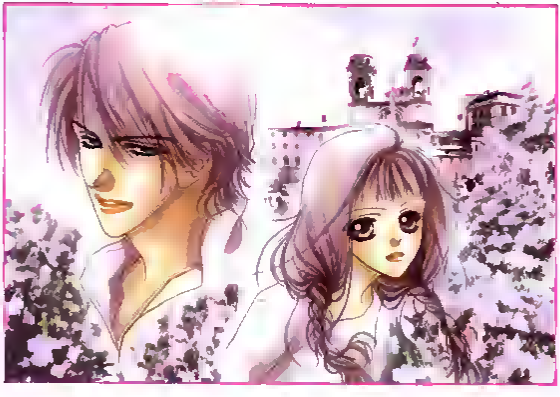

After a two year separation, Jo is finally clear about his feelings for Jiayu. Just when Jo heads for New York to find Jiayu, he unexpectedly meets her in Italy. Yet Jo has no idea that this reunion is actually due to an accident, and Jiayu slips into a coma because of this accident.